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## DISTRICT BILLS PASS

One Provides for Extension  
of Oklahoma Avenue.

### POLICE PENSIONERS RELIEVED

Chairman Smith, of the District  
Committee, Had Almost Lost Hope,  
but Finds Time for Consideration  
of Local Measures While House Is  
Waiting for Conference Reports.

While the House of Representatives was  
waiting for the conference reports on  
several appropriation bills yesterday Dis-  
trict of Columbia legislation occupied the  
attention of the members.

Chairman Smith had almost lost hope  
that any more District bills could be  
passed this session, but yesterday as soon  
as he found there would be an hour or  
two in which he could gain the attention  
of the chair he got those interested in the  
various measures on the floor and gained  
the attention of the Speaker.

The bill authorizing the construction  
of a ninety-foot road along the banks of the  
Anacostia River, and in extension of  
Oklahoma avenue, was passed after a  
heated discussion.

#### Sims Opposes BILL.

Representative Sims, of Tennessee, op-  
posed the measure, declaring that it was  
in favor of the Steel Company, which is  
interested in a plant there. Representative  
Oleott and Representative Campbell,  
of Kansas, spoke in behalf of the measure,  
declaring that it did not affect a private  
concern, but was for the benefit  
of several thousand persons who reside in  
that section of the District.

Mr. Sims finally tried to block the pas-  
sage of the bill by making a point of no  
quorum, but the Speaker counted the  
members seated on the floor and found  
there were 197 present.

The bill relieving certain pensioners on  
the rolls of the police pension fund was  
passed. Mr. Kellher explained that the  
deficit of \$16,000 occurred in 1894 through  
no fault of the pensioners.

#### Changes Name of Hospital.

The bill changing the name of the Hos-  
pital for Foundlings to the Home for  
Foundlings was passed, as was the measure  
directing that the annual report of the  
institution be made to the Commis-  
sioners of the District instead of to the  
Secretary of the Interior.

The House also agreed to the confer-  
ence report on the bill placing the build-  
ing and loan associations of the District  
under the supervision of the Comptroller  
of the Currency. This measure gives the  
Comptroller the right to have the books  
of any concern of the District inspected  
at any time he may desire, and also  
forces the companies to make an annual  
report of their business to the Comptroller.

The House refused unanimous consent  
to take up the bill authorizing the Ju-  
venile Court of the District to collect for-  
feited recognizances. This bill was not  
on the calendar, and therefore objection  
was raised when Mr. Campbell made the  
request.

#### NEW RECTOR ARRIVES.

Rev. Dr. Talbot, Successor to Bishop  
Harding, in the City.

Rev. Dr. Robert Talbot, for twenty-five  
years rector of Trinity Church, Kansas  
City, who succeeds Bishop Harding as  
rector of St. Paul's Episcopal Church,  
arrived in Washington last night at 5:30  
o'clock.

Dr. Talbot, who is fifty-two years of  
age, is a brother of Bishop Talbot.  
He was met at the station by H. L.  
Rust, one of St. Paul's vestrymen, whose  
guest he will be for several weeks. St.  
Paul's rectory will undergo several  
changes, and Dr. Talbot's family will  
be here the latter part of the month.  
Dr. Talbot will preach his first sermon  
at St. Paul's next Sunday morning.

#### Gives Lecture to Children.

One hundred and forty children at the  
Industrial Home School, in the Tennyson-  
town road, listened to a lecture under the  
auspices of the Association for the Pre-  
vention of Tuberculosis. The nature of  
tuberculosis was explained in simple lan-  
guage, and the ways in which the disease  
may be spread from one child to another.  
The evils of cigarette smoking were em-  
phasized.

#### Florists' Club Will Meet.

The annual banquet of the Washington  
Florists' Club will be held at Congress  
Hall Hotel on April 6. This was de-  
cided at a meeting Tuesday night, when  
P. H. Kramer was re-elected president for  
another year. Other officers elected were  
John Robinson, vice president; Wil-  
liam F. Gude, treasurer; O. Oehlmer, sec-  
retary. George E. Cooke and Theodore  
Dietrich are on the board of directors.

Watch for a city—Randle Highlands.

#### Public Library Closed.

The District Public Library will be  
closed to-day.

#### LOCAL MENTION.

**EXCURSIONS TO-DAY.**  
To Fort Monroe, Norfolk, Newport News, and all  
points South-Norfolk and Washington steamers  
every evening in the year at 6:30.  
To Annapolis and the United States Naval Acad-  
emy—Trains leave every hour on the half hour from  
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Chase, and Kensington—Cars from Fifteenth street  
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## PLEADS FOR DOWER RIGHTS.

Elizabeth C. Prall Acts as Own At-  
torney Before Supreme Court.

Describing herself as a "very worthy,  
defenseless woman, and an orphan," and  
calling upon "Him in whom we live,  
move, and have our being," Elizabeth C.  
Prall, acting as her own attorney, yester-  
day filed one of the most unusual suits  
this has ever been placed on record in the  
District Supreme Court.

She says a judgment has been found  
against her dower rights, which include  
property near the Gordon Hotel in this  
city, by Brown & Withers, of New  
York City. Her suit is to annul the  
judgment, of \$1250. The petitioner and  
self-appointed attorney is not a member  
of the bar.

## GOLD MEDAL FOR HEROINE

Miss McCann Will Receive Congres-  
sional Award for Bravery.

Saved Nine Lives When Steamer  
Slocum Was Burned—Distinguish-  
ed Company to Be Present.

Mary McCann, the girl who rescued nine  
children from the waters of New York  
Bay on June 15, 1904, when the steamer  
General Slocum was burned with the loss  
of 1,000 lives, is to be presented with a gold  
medal by the government for her heroism  
in risking her own life to save others.

The presentation will be made in the  
office of the Speaker of the House on  
March 12, in the presence of a distinguish-  
ed company, including Speaker Cannon,  
Vice President Sherman, Representative  
Goulden, and other members of the New  
York delegation.

At the time of the rescue Miss McCann  
was fourteen years of age. She was liv-  
ing on North Brothers Island, con-  
valescing from an attack of typhoid fever.  
Observing the burning of the Slocum,  
the little girl waded into the waters, and  
by her own efforts saved the lives of the  
nine children. This incident was one  
of the most dramatic attending the de-  
struction of the ill-fated vessel.

Miss McCann is now grown, and is an  
attractive young woman, about to be  
graduated from the Florence Crittenton  
Training School in this city.

The award of a medal to Miss McCann  
is made under an act of Congress grant-  
ing medals to persons who save human  
life.

It will be presented through the agency  
of the Life-saving Service.

## NATIONAL SONGS ARE URGED

W. O. Bradley Tells Southerners to  
Forget "Kentucky Home."

Marching Club Bearing His Name  
Holds Meeting—Members Pay  
Visit to Gov. Willson.

"We sing our own song of 'In My Old  
Kentucky Home' too much. We should  
sing our national songs more," declared  
Senator-elect William O. Bradley, of  
Kentucky, to the members of the Brad-  
ley Marching Club, of Louisville, at a  
gathering held last night at the head-  
quarters of the club at 623 Louisiana av-  
enue northwest.

This is the marching club that helped  
elect Mr. Bradley as governor of Ken-  
tucky in the '90s, the first Republican  
governor of that State in years.

In his remarks Mr. Bradley, who will  
be made a United States Senator to-day,  
laid especial stress on the fact that the  
"old South" was a big of the past,  
and that the nation claimed the homage  
of all true Southerners more than any  
single State.

G. A. Taylor, formerly the owner of the  
Abraham Lincoln farm at Hodgson-  
ville, Ky., who is President Roosevelt's  
made a speech on February 12 at the  
celebration of the Lincoln Centennial at  
that place, was among the other speakers.  
About 150 members of the club have  
canes cut from the spruce trees on the  
Lincoln farm, and as one of the posses-  
sors of such a cane said, "I wouldn't part  
with it for a mint of money."

Among the members of the club are  
fifty gray-haired mountaineers, who boast  
a stature of over six feet in height. They  
are a great contrast to the younger and  
more diminutive members of the orga-  
nization.

The club last evening called on Gov.  
Augustus E. Willson, who is the guest  
of Justice Harlan, of the United States  
Supreme Court. The organization will  
take part in the parade to-day.

#### DIRECTORS RE-ELECTED.

Annual Meeting of Stockholders of  
N. & W. S. Co.

At the annual meeting of the stock-  
holders of the Norfolk and Washington  
Steamboat Company, Wednesday, March  
3, 1909, the old board of directors was re-  
elected for another year, as follows:  
John Boyd, Daniel J. Callahan, John Cal-  
lahan, Daniel Fraser, Edward Graves, W.  
B. Hibbs, Clarence F. Norment, George  
W. Pearson, Odell S. Smith, Hylas T.  
Wheeler, and Levi Woodbury.

At a subsequent meeting of the board  
the following officers were elected: Levi  
Woodbury, president; Clarence F. Norment,  
vice president; John Callahan, second vice  
president and general manager; Odell S.  
Smith, secretary and treasurer.

The second vice president and general  
manager made the following appoint-  
ments: D. J. Callahan, assistant general  
manager; W. H. Callahan, general pas-  
senger agent; John G. Williams, auditor;  
J. Allen Rindon, general claim agent.

#### SENATE TRADITION SHATTERED

Vice President Fairbanks Pays \$200  
for Inkstand Used in Service.

Vice President Fairbanks handed to the  
Secretary of the Senate yesterday morn-  
ing his personal check for \$200 to pay for  
the handsome silver inkstand specially  
designed by Tiffany and placed at his dis-  
posal when he became Vice President.

There was considerable comment at the  
time the inkstand was bought, but Sec-  
retary Bennett explained that it had been  
the custom for years to provide an ink-  
stand of special design for the presiding  
officer of the Senate and to permit him to  
carry it away with him at the close of  
his term as a souvenir of his service.

Mr. Fairbanks declined to accept the  
inkstand except on the condition that he  
would reimburse the Senate for the cost  
of it. By this act he has shattered a tra-  
dition.

Special attention is called to the adver-  
tisement of the Virginia Granite Com-  
pany, which appears on the financial page  
of to-day's paper. An investment in the  
preferred stock of this company should  
prove to be one of the best, as they claim  
to have the most wonderful deposit of  
the best blue and gray granite in Amer-  
ica. In fact, it is said they will control  
the blue granite trade, which is the most  
valuable for monumental work, as it is  
the only company which has large enough  
deposits to supply the demands.

## PLACES OF INTEREST.

Library of Congress—Open 9 a. m. to 10 p. m. on  
secular days; from 2 p. m. to 10 p. m. on Sundays  
and on certain holidays.  
Public Library—Open 9 a. m. to 9 p. m.; holidays,  
9 a. m. to 5 p. m.; Sundays, 2 to 5 p. m.  
White House—Open 10 a. m. to 2 p. m.  
United States Capitol—Open 9 a. m. to 4:30 p. m.  
State, War, and Navy Departments—Open 9 a. m.  
to 2 p. m. (The original Declaration of Independ-  
ence is in the library at the State Department.)  
United States Treasury—Open 9 a. m. to 5 p. m.  
United States Patent Office—Open 9 a. m. to 3  
p. m.  
United States Pension Bureau—Open 9 a. m. to 4  
p. m.  
United States Post-office—Open 9 a. m. to 2 p. m.  
Washington City Post-office—Open all hours. (The  
Dead Letter Office is in the city post-office.)  
National Botanic Garden—Open 9 a. m. to 5 p. m.  
Fish Commission—Open 9 a. m. to 4:30 p. m.  
Army Medical Museum—Open 9 a. m. to 4:30 p. m.  
National Museum—Open 9 a. m. to 4:30 p. m. (in-  
cluding holidays).  
Smithsonian Institution—Open 9 a. m. to 4:30 p. m.  
(including holidays).  
Agricultural Department—Open 9 a. m. to 4:30  
p. m.  
Bureau of Engraving and Printing—Open 9 a. m.  
to 4:30 p. m.  
Washington Monument (394 feet in height)—Open  
9:30 a. m. to 4:30 p. m. (Elevator runs from 9 a. m.  
until 4 p. m.)  
Corcoran Gallery of Art—Open 9:30 a. m. to 4  
p. m. winter; 9 a. m. to 4 p. m. in summer. Sun-  
days—12:30 p. m. to 3 p. m., excepting in midsum-  
mer. Admission free on Tuesdays, Thursdays, Sat-  
urdays and Sundays; other days, 5c admission.  
Government Printing Office—Open 9 a. m. to 2  
p. m.  
Vary Yard—Open 9 a. m. to 5:30 p. m.  
Southworth Cottage, 5th St. and Prospect ave.  
In THE SUBURBS.  
Zoological Park—Open all day.  
Rock Creek Bridge and Park.  
Chevy Chase and Kensington.  
Naval Observatory—Open 9 a. m. to 3 p. m.  
District Vesper (the home and tomb of Washing-  
ton)—Open 11 a. m. to 4 p. m.  
Arlington National Cemetery.  
Fort Myer Military Post.  
United States Soldiers' Home—Open 9 a. m. to  
sunset.  
United States Naval Academy, Annapolis, Md.  
Cathedral Ground, Truxtontown road—Open 9 a.  
m. to 6 p. m.  
Cabin John Bridge, Catholic University, and Alex-  
andria.  
Great Falls of the Potomac.

#### Commission Did Not Meet.

Because several of its members are on  
various inauguration committees, the  
District electric railway commission did  
not hold its regular weekly meeting yester-  
day. When the commission meets  
next week several important matters will  
be considered relating to conditions on  
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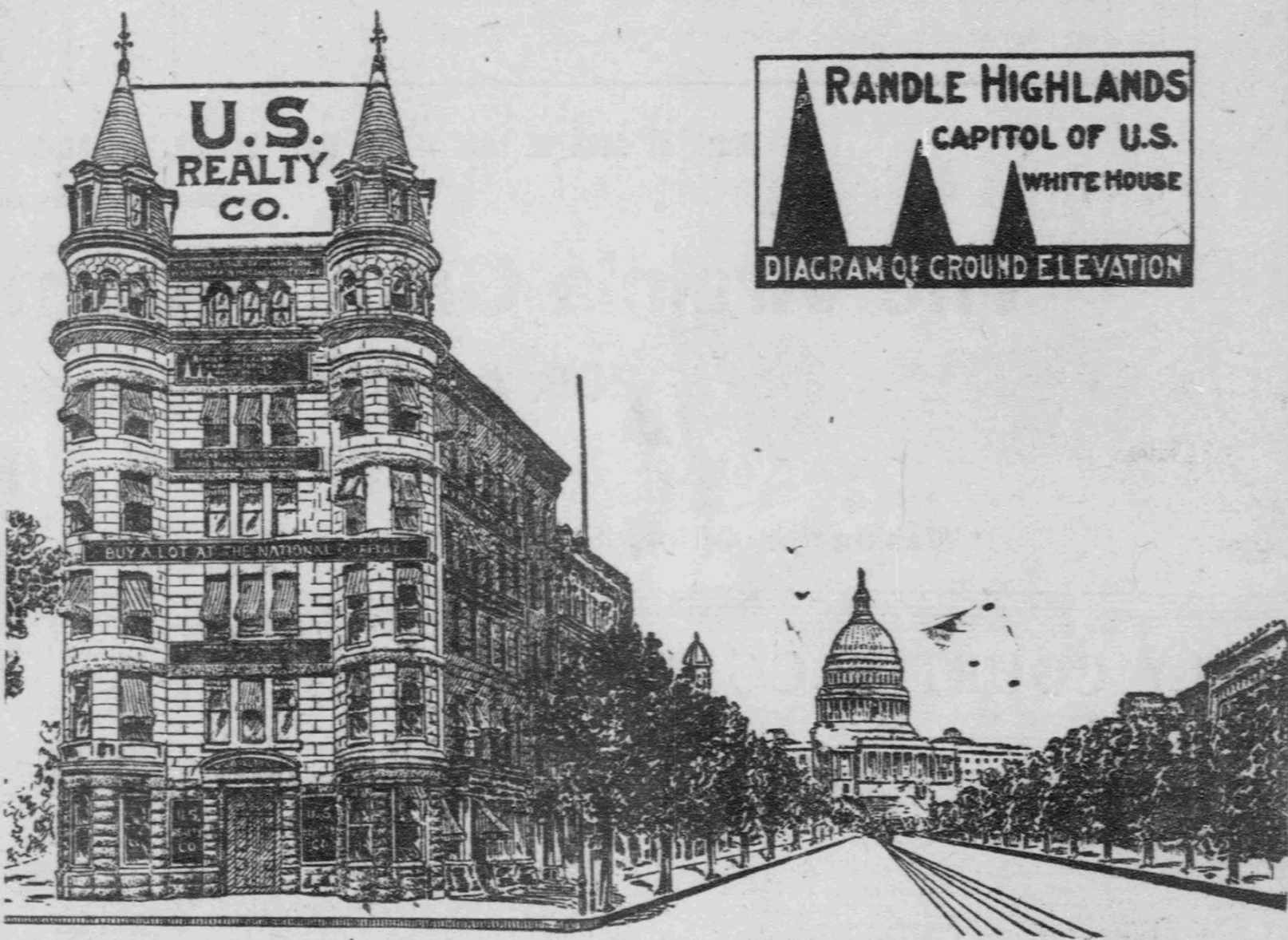
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#### James S. Pierce Buried.

Funeral services for James S. Pierce,  
who had been a clerk in the ordinance  
division of the War Department since the  
civil war, were held at 10 o'clock yester-  
day morning from his late home, 610 R  
street northwest. Rev. J. Russell Verr  
bryoke officiated, and burial was in Con-  
gressional Cemetery.

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